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SARAH ROOKER TONKS
THACKER



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Wm Clark Crook
stone cutter



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Heber



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ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
DAYS: 14 Apr 1794
To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the person submitting the sheet, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Vt.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

HUSBAND

Born _____ Place _____
Chr. _____ Place _____
Marr. _____ Place _____
Died _____ Place _____
Bur. _____ Place _____

HUSBAND'S FATHER _____ HUSBAND'S MOTHER _____
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES _____

WIFE

Born _____ Place _____
Chr. _____ Place _____
Died _____ Place _____
Bur. _____ Place _____

WIFE'S FATHER _____ WIFE'S MOTHER _____
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS _____

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names SURNAME	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF TO WHOM
		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	
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2								---
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION _____ OTHER MARRIAGES _____

Husband *William Timothy THACKER*
Wife *Rachel TONKS*

V BEAUTIFUL UPON THE MOUNTAINS
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town. People report that when anyone would stop and offer him a ride, he would say, "No thanks. I'm in a hurry." In his declining years he lived with his children. His living children were: Hannah, Anna Maria, Elizabeth, William Timothy, Isabell, Charles E., John, Fredrick A., and George Nephi Hughes, and adopted son.

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*Wm Thacker
(co Rachel Tonks)
Blocks with
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for Bug Young
for SL Theatre*

CESSARY EXPLANATIONS

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MATTHEW THOMPSON

Matthew Thompson, son of Matthew Thompson and Margaret Malarkey, was born in Antrim County, Ireland, on August 21, 1832, in Lurgan, County Armagh, Ireland. He came to Utah October 19, 1862, in the David P. Kimball ox-team company.

He married Alice Liddard in December, 1874, in Salt Lake City, Utah. She was the daughter of Robert Liddard of Tooele and Provo, Utah, and was born in 1857. Their only child was Joseph. The family home was in Tooele, Utah.

Married Eliza Wiley on August 25, 1875, in Salt Lake City. She was the daughter of Alexander Wiley and Mariah Alexander of County Antrim, Ireland. She was born October 27, 1838. Their only child was Matthew Chamas.

The family home was in Wallsburg, Utah. He was a High Priest, and cut stone for the Salt Lake Temple and Tabernacle in 1862. He worked on both the Union Pacific Railway, in 1869, and on the Utah Southern.

He was also a weaver, miner and farmer.

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Pioneer

✓ Stone cutter

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